HB0227/613498/1

BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 227

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 15, after "circumstances;" insert "providing that certain intellectual property developed as a result of grants awarded under the Program remain in the public domain under certain circumstances;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, after line 6, insert:

"(D) TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE AND CONSISTENT WITH RELEVANT JUDICIAL OPINIONS AND STATUTORY LAW, ANY INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY DEVELOPED AS A RESULT OF A GRANT AWARDED UNDER THE MARYLAND EARN PROGRAM SHALL REMAIN IN THE PUBLIC DOMAIN."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 8, in line 12, after "(1)" insert "AN IDENTIFICATION OF TRAINING NEEDS STATEWIDE, INCLUDING INDUSTRIES IN URGENT NEED OF QUALIFIED WORKERS;

(2)";

in line 16, strike "(2)" and substitute "(3) (I)"; after line 18, insert:

"(II) THE JURISDICTION OF THE STATE IN WHICH EACH STRATEGIC INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIP IS LOCATED;";

in line 19, strike "(3)" and substitute "(4)"; in line 20, strike "PARTICIPATING" and substitute "BY SEX, RACE, NATIONAL ORIGIN, INCOME, COUNTY OF RESIDENCE,

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AND EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, PARTICIPATING"; in line 27, strike "PROMOTION" and substitute "PROMOTION; AND"; and after line 27, insert:

- "(5) AN ASSESSMENT OF WHETHER AND TO WHAT EXTENT THE APPROVED STRATEGIC INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS UTILIZED EXISTING DATA CONCERNING:
- (I) TRAINING NEEDS IN THE STATE IDENTIFIED IN PREVIOUS STUDIES; AND
- (II) APPLICABLE SKILLS NEEDS IDENTIFIED IN EXISTING WORKFORCE STUDIES, PLANS, OR RESEARCH".